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FANCY DRINK,

Made of Pure Rum, Whiskey, Proof Spirits

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GREAT BLOOD PURIFIER and a LIFE

GIVING PRINCIPLE, a perfect Restorer and

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No person can take these Bitters according to directions

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\$100 will be given for an honorable case, provided

the bones are not destroyed by mineral poison or

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Blood, Liver, Kidneys, and Bladder, these Bitters have been most successful.

Such Diseases are caused by Vitiated

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DYSPEPSIA OR INDIGESTION, Head-

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Chest, Dizziness, Sour Eructations of the Stomach, Bad

taste in the Mouth, Bilious Attacks, Palpitation of the

Heart, Inflammation of the Lungs, Pain in the

regions of the Kidneys and a hundred other painful

symptoms, are the offsprings of Dyspepsia.

They invigorate the Stomach and stimulate the tor-

pid liver and bowels, which render them of unequalled

efficacy in clearing the blood of all impurities, and

imparting new life and vigor to the whole system.

FOR SKIN DISEASES, Eruptions, Tetter, Salt

Rheum, Blotches, Spots, Pimples, Bubbles, Boils, Car-

buncles, Ring-Worms, Scald-Head, Sore Eyes, Erysip-

elas, Itch, Scurs, Discolorations of the Skin, Humors

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literally dug up and carried off the system in a

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such cases will convince the most incredulous of their

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or sores, cleanse it when you find it obstructed

and sluggish in the veins; cleanse it when it is foul,

and your feelings will tell you when. Keep the blood

pure and the health of the system will follow.

PIN, TAPE and other WORMS, lurking in the

system of so many thousands, are effectually destroyed

and removed. For all directions, read carefully the

circulars around each bottle, printed in four lan-

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NISHED FOR ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY GUESTS and

supplied with all the modern improvements for their

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St. George Hotel in Victoria, B. C., while under his man-

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a place of comfort and worthy of patronage. a15

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INDIVIDUAL LIABILITY

Capital Stock - - - \$750,000

For Insuring Merchandise, Treasure, Consignments, Pro-

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For Insuring every kind of Property

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The security offered to the public by the Phoenix Office

is unlimited, comprising in addition to the large invested

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Prompt cash payment and full power to settle all losses

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Assurances in Force, Upwards of

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REVENUE.—UPWARDS OF SEVEN

HUNDRED THOUSAND POUNDS.

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A Special Meeting is to be held in a few

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THE PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY

Transacts a general Marine Insurance business.

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A list of Premiums and other information will be sup-

plied upon application.

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Claims for loss or damage by Fire promptly and equi-

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PAID UP CAPITAL.....\$3,000,000

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Wall Paper,

ASSORTED Patterns and qualities, in large and

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IN 25lb and 28lb tins

For sale by JANION, RHODES & CO.

Boiled Linseed Oil,

IN drums and casks

For sale by JANION, RHODES & CO.

Soap.

ENGLISH Mottled and Yellow Soaps, in 18lb, 28lb

and 56 lb and 112 lb boxes. For sale by JANION, RHODES & CO.

Candles,

TAYLOR'S, full weights, in 1 lb packets.

The Treaty of Washington.

Sir John A. Macdonald signed the Treaty of Washington in his capacity of British Commissioner. That portion of the Treaty relating to Fisheries and Navigation must obtain the sanction of the Dominion Parliament before it can have any force or effect. But the refusal of Canada to sanction that portion of it does not in any way interfere with or invalidate the other parts; so that the consequences of her refusal would be strictly confined to the matter referred to her. This will aid the reader in understanding the position occupied by the Canadian Government with respect to the Treaty. That portion which directly concerns Canada will be submitted for her adoption or rejection. Should she adopt it the whole Treaty would come into force. Should she reject it, which would at present appear to be the more probable contingency, the Cabinet will be in no way compromised. Sir John A. Macdonald and his colleagues are perfectly free to vote against it in Parliament. It is not at all improbable that certain inducements will be held out to Canada by the Imperial Government in order to have the matter settled. Most likely the inducement will take the form of a money guarantee to build the Canadian Pacific Railway, so as to lift the burden of that work entirely off Canada, and probably a large emigration scheme by which the surplus population of the old Empire would be transferred to the new may be connected therewith. Should some such considerations as these be presented, it would, of course, become the duty of the Dominion Parliament to carefully consider the whole question; and in doing so the fact would not be overlooked that the disposition of the Fishery and Navigation questions is not perpetual, but only for twelve years. Suppose Canada should see her way clear to yield to the gentle and seductive influences referred to, it would, of course, be perfectly competent for her to terminate the Treaty at the expiration of the twelve years, should she see reason to do so; and with so great an impetus as the speedy construction of the railway, without involving any fresh financial burden, and with the great tide of British population rolling up through the North West, Canada would, at the termination of that period, find herself in a very much more advantageous position to treat with the United States for a further arrangement of these questions, either upon a broad basis of reciprocity between the two countries, or in any other way that might appear desirable. Nor does there seem to be good ground for apprehending that the refusal of Canada to agree to that part of the Treaty now referred to her would arouse renewed indignation and bluster on the part of the United States, and render the relations between the two countries more un-pleasant and threatening than they have been in the past. It must be kept in view that the United States has been a deliberate consenting party to the reference of these points to Canada, thereby more clearly admitting the undoubted right of Canada to withhold her assent; so that the proper exercise of that right on the part of Canada could not well become the subject of complaint, much less of a fresh grievance on the part of one of the high contracting powers. The San Juan dispute and the Alabama claims settled, it does not appear to us that even should the Fishery and Navigation questions be left open, the United States would have anything like a grievance on hand. There would at least be reason to hope that an equally peaceful and civilized solution would await these questions. As a portion of the new empire we should regret to see so inestimable a national inheritance as the Canadian fisheries bartered away without some substantial equivalent; and it does not, perhaps, materially concern us whether that equivalent comes from this side of the Atlantic or from the other side. If the parent Empire has reasons satisfactory to herself for being willing to provide an equivalent which we incline to think ought to have come from another source, probably Canada will not conceive it to be her duty to quarrel about that. We confess that we should rejoice to see the whole matter amicably settled upon a basis which would be fair and just alike to the United States and to Canada, and we earnestly trust that some such settlement may be reached.

SUMMER GOODS.—A B Gray has received per steamer Pacific a large assortment of goods suitable for the present season, comprising Muslins, Prints, Hollands, Billiains, Alpaca, Lace, Barege and Wool Shawls, Silk, Cloth and Holland Jackets, Flowers, Silk and Cambric Sunshades, Linens, Cotton, Hosiery, Ribbons, Laces, &c., &c.—Government Street, May, 1871.

A. GILMORE, MERCHANT TAILOR, and General Outfitter, has removed his place of business to the store adjoining the Colonial Hotel and opposite the Colonial Office, on Government Street, fourth door from Yates, where he proposes to give his old friends and new customers a chance on the principle of quick sales and small profits.

MILLINERY.—By last steamer a first class milliner arrived from Europe for the London House.

New Advertisements.

NORTHERN PACIFIC R.R. BONDS.
HOLDERS OF NORTHERN PACIFIC R.R. Bonds in British Columbia are hereby notified that the coupon for semi-annual interest, due July 1st, will be cashed at par, in gold coin, at the office of Wells, Fargo & Co in this city.
F. GARESCHE, Agent.
Victoria, June 28, 1871.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia. In Bankruptcy.
Estlee of John Goodacre, a Bankrupt.
A MEETING OF THE CREDITORS of the above named bankrupt who have proved their claims will be held at the office of the Registrar of the Supreme Court, James Bay, on Wednesday, the 10th day of July next, at the hour of 12 noon, for the purpose of declaring a dividend in the matter of the above bankruptcy.
ROBERT WOODS, Official Assignee.
Dated the 27th day of June, 1871.

THEATRE ROYAL
BARKER'S
GREAT PANORAMA
OF THE
FOUR RIVERS OF THE WEST
Grand Matinee Exhibition
—ON—
FRIDAY AFTERNOON, 30th inst.,
Commencing at 8 1/2 o'clock.

HIS PANORAMA comprises Views of
BRITISH COLUMBIA,
CALIFORNIA,
OREGON
And **ALASKAN SCENERY.**
The artist has carefully sketched the leading characteristics of the localities represented, and trusts that the visitor will find in the Panorama much that will prove interesting and profitable.
Admission—Adults, 50 cents; Children, 25 cents.
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FIRE! FIRE! FIRE!
ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS REWARD.
WILL BE PAID BY THE UNDERSIGNED for the arrest and conviction of the party or parties who fired the Navy Gun on Tuesday, 27th instant.
JOHN T. HOWARD.
Esquimalt June 28, 1871.

FOR SALE.
THAT WELL-SITUATED BUSINESS Property known as the Bee Hive, having a frontage of about 51 feet 6 inches on Broad street, by 75 feet on Fort street, comprising a two-story frame house and two one-story brick stores, with the lot on which they stand, now occupied by J. Weiner at a rental of \$30 per month. This property offers a fine opportunity to parties seeking an investment.
L. LOWENBERG,
Apply to Real Estate Agent, Government street.
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WANTED
5000 Men
TO ROLL

TEN PINS!
AT THE
Favorite Resort
—OF—
YOURS TRULY,
DUBIG & CO.
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MECHANICS INSTITUTE RAFFLE.
THE COMMITTEE HAVE DECIDED to raise the handsome Treadmill Grand Prize of \$2500 by means of a Raffle. The plan is to draw 2500 tickets at \$1.00 each. The tickets will be sold from Monday, June 26th, to Monday, July 3rd, at the following places:—
1. At the office of the Institute.
2. At the office of the Registrar of the Supreme Court.
3. At the office of the Registrar of the District Court.
4. At the office of the Registrar of the Probate Court.
5. At the office of the Registrar of the Court of Sessions.
6. At the office of the Registrar of the Court of Criminal Justice.
7. At the office of the Registrar of the Court of Admiralty.
8. At the office of the Registrar of the Court of Chancery.
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Boots! Boots! Boots!
W. HEATHORN,
Government street, next to the Post Office, has on hand a large assortment of **BOOTS AND SHOES**, of his own manufacture, which he invites the public to examine.
Boots & shoes made to order. REPAIRING done.
Upper, leather & Rubber Findings for Sale.
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Straw
Berries
RIPE STRAWBERRIES!
The celebrated Strawberry tree from the well known Gardens of Mr. Wm. Clark, New Westminster, received by every steamer and for sale in 4, 5, 8, and 10 lb boxes.
Wm. GIBSON,
je27 Family Grocer, cor. of Yates and Douglas sts.

Lecture.
BACNEY ORRAN, (J. G. MURPHY), WILL deliver a Lecture on "Crime and Human Rights" at Alhambra Hall on THURSDAY Evening at 8 20 o'clock. The lecturer will conclude the entertainment by reciting "Chorus of Liberty."
Admission—Front seats 50 cents, and to other parts of the house 25 cents. Doors open at 8 o'clock. Lecture commences at 8 20.
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Odd Fellows' Hall.
Merchant's Exchange
Beneath the above hall will be open on **DOMINION DAY, JULY 1ST, 1871,** When the undersigned will be glad to have all old friends try his NEW DRINK.
'CONFEDERATION.'
je27 H. FORMAN, Manager.

FOR SALE.
THAT EXCELLENT AND COMMODIOUS two-story dwelling house situated on Bird Cage Walk, James Bay, in the occupation of Capt. Cooper with good well of water, stable, coach house and convenient office. The property is freehold, having a frontage of 80 feet on Bird Cage Walk with a depth of 110 feet. For particulars apply to
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A security, repayable by instalments (houses and farms) to be let Town and Country Property for Sale on Easy Terms. Purchases THOS. ALLISON, Land Agent, Government street near Fort.
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FAMILY GROCER
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New Advertisements.

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Auctioneers,
APPRAISERS, ACCOUNTANTS & COMMISSION AGENTS,
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BEG TO ANNOUNCE THAT THEY HAVE taken the large building on Wharf street, opposite the foot of Yates street, from their long-extended experience in the above branches of business, and by promptness and attention they hope to secure a share of the public support.
Stocks, Stock in Trade, or Furniture purchased for Cash.
Liberal advances made on Consignments.
Books kept or audited. Balance sheets made out, statements prepared and a general account of the business conducted faithfully transacted.
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SALE OF HOUSEHOLD **Furniture**
Billiard Table, Bar Fixings, &c.
PLUMMER & PAGDEN
Are instructed by Mr William Sellick to sell on the premises, at the Steamboat Exchange Hotel, Esquimalt
Friday, June 30, 1871,
AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.
The whole of his
Household Furniture
And other Effects, comprising:
A full sized Phelan's Pocket Billiard Table in splendid order, with Cues, Pool Balls, &c, complete.
Handsome Bar Counter and Fittings
Colored and other Engravings, Mirrors, Glassware, Crockery, Tables, Bedsteads and Bedding, Chairs, Horsehair Salas, Couches, Kitchen and Parlor Stoves
Blocks, Rope, Carpenters' Tools, Fairbanks' Platform Scale &c.
—ALSO—
Stock of Wines, Liquors, &c, &c.
—ALSO—
After the above, under a Bill of Sale, the following goods and effects, viz:
1 first rate Pile Driver,
1 good Lighter,
1 Truck,
1 Wheelbarrow,
And a quantity of Lumber, now or lately on the wharf known as Sellick's at Esquimalt.
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Goods to be paid for and removed immediately after the sale.
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CUTTING AND FITTING DONE on the most reasonable terms. Instructions given in Cutting and Fitting Dresses, Skirts, Sequins, Baquas, &c by the latest improved best Diagrams now in use. Ladies wishing to learn the art, could do well to call and see the diagrams by which means they can be taught in a week the work of months.
Special attention paid to bleaching and dressing straw Goods. North Park street, near the Catholic Church, Victoria, B.C.
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School Notice.
YOUNG LADIES' BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL, Fairfield Terrace, top of Fort st.
MISS PATRICIA, Principal.
THE SUMMER VACATION commences on Monday June 26th, and terminates on Monday July 10th, on which day studies will be resumed. The attendance of the pupils is particularly required.
A few more boarding scholars can be received.
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Diocesan Church Society
SUBSCRIBERS are respectfully reminded that their annual contributions are now due. The Society aims to assist generally in the maintenance of the Church of England in the Colony; and in consequence of the reduction of the annual grants from the Home Society the extension of local aid is most necessary. Donations and subscriptions will be gladly received by the Very Rev. Dean Griggs, Rev P. Jones, and by the Hon'y Treasurer, W. G. Ward, Esq., at New Westminster, by the Ven'ble Archdeacon Woods and by A. T. Binley, Esq., Victoria, 24th June, 1871.
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To be Let, Furnished
A 6 ROOMED HOUSE ON PANDORA STREET Apply to R. ALLISON, Land Agent, Government street near Fort.
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A. RICKMAN,
IMPORTER OF AND DEALER
Groceries & Provisions,
BEGS TO INFORM THE PUBLIC THAT he has opened the spacious store
Corner Government and Fort Streets, (Opposite the Mechanics' Literary Institute)
With a select and first class Stock of
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At most Reasonable Rates.
Thanking the public for the liberal patronage bestowed upon him as partner of the late firm of Wicks and Rickman, I also hope to enjoy a share of the same for the future.
All goods delivered to any part of the city Free of Charge.
A. RICKMAN.
Agency.
I BEG TO INFORM THE INHABITANTS of Carbo and the Upper Colony generally that being engaged in business at Victoria, and having from five or six years' experience a thorough knowledge of the class of goods required east of the Cascades, I am open to purchase and forward to order all classes of goods suitable for their market. I would invite the special attention of families and others desiring to order the Road and in Cariboo to the facilities of forwarding at a light expense small parcels of goods per Express. I will pay particular attention to the selection of such goods as they may require.
Mining Companies and Traders requiring business transacted in this city will do well to communicate with
W. J. JEFFREE,
CLOTHIER AND OUTFITTER,
Yates street, Victoria.
References:—Bank of British Columbia, Jerome Har- per & Bro., Victoria, May 23, 1871.
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Amusements.

Craigflower School
PICNIC.
THE ANNUAL PICNIC OF THE CRAIGFLOWER SCHOOL will be held at THE GORGE, —ON— SATURDAY, JULY 15th, 1871.
TICKETS 25c; to be held of the following COMMITTEE:
Mr Porter Mr Stout Mr Miller Mr Bailey Mr Chivert Mr Cogan Mr Smith Mr Peattie M DODD, Secretary.
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Hurrah for Dominion Day.
THE ANNUAL PARADE & PICNIC OF THE VICTORIA FIRE DEPARTMENT WILL TAKE PLACE ON DOMINION DAY—July 1st—at Media's Grove. A spacious Picnic will be erected on an efficient Quadrille Band will be in attendance during the day and evening, and Athletic Sports and Games will form a part of the Amusement, a programme of which will appear in a few days.
The following named gentlemen have been appointed a GENERAL COMMITTEE:
Mr John Dickson, President VFD; Mr Simeon Duck, Chief Engineer VFD; Mr F. G. Richards, Assistant Engineer VFD.
Union H & Co. No 1—Chas E. Bunting, Foreman; Mr J. Vaughan, 1st Assistant; Mr Huxtab, 2d Assistant.
Deluge Engine Co. No 1—Mr John Crowl, Foreman; Mr Frank Saunders, 1st Assistant; William Harrison, 2d Assistant.
Tiger Engine Co. No 2—Mr James Orr, Foreman; Mr Egan Simpson, 1st Assistant; Mr Charles Lombard, 2d Assistant.
TICKETS—ONE DOLLAR EACH; Ladies, and Children under 12 years of age, free.
Every exertion will be made by the Committee to make this the greatest picnic of the season.

LIST OF GAMES:
1 Standing Long Jump, without weights. Entrance 25c. Prize \$2.50.
2 24-minute Long Jump, without weights. Entrance 25c. Prize \$2.50.
3 Standing High Jump, without weights. Entrance 25c. Prize \$2.50.
4 High Jump with Jump, without weights. Entrance 50c. Prize \$5.
5 Hop, Skip and Jump. Entrance 25c. Prize \$2.50.
6 Putting Heavy Shot. Entrance 25c. Prize \$2.50.
7 Throwing Heavy Hammer. Entrance 25c. Prize \$2.50.
8 Foot Race, 100 yards. Entrance 50c. 1st prize \$5, 2nd prize \$1.50.
9 Foot Race, 200 yards. Entrance 50c. 1st prize \$10, 2nd prize \$2.50.
10 Foot Race for boys under 15 years, 75 yards. Entrance 25c. 1st prize \$2.50, 2nd prize \$1.
11 Foot Race for boys under 15 years, 75 yards. Entrance 25c. 1st prize \$2.50, 2nd prize \$1.
12 Throwing Light Hammer. Entrance 25c. Prize \$2.50.
13 Foot Race for girls under 12 years, 75 yards. Entrance 25c. 1st prize \$2.50, 2nd prize \$1.
14 Sack Race, 75 yards. Entrance 25c. Prize \$2.50.
15 Catching a Pie by grey tail. Prize, the pig. No catches, no halves.
N.B.—Four to enter or no race.
F. BAUNTON, J. VAUGHAN, Game Committee.
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EX PRINCE ALFRED
AND OTHER RECENT ARRIVALS
In Bond or in Store.
CONGO,
U.S.
JAPAN
and BASKET TEA
ABSINTHE
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CAL WHITE WINE
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CHAMPAGNE
RAISINS in full halves & quarter boxes
Eastern Oregon and Cal LARD.
CLEAR LAKE CHEESE
EASTERN DRIED APPLES
DYER'S, FAY Mottled & Castile Soap
CHINA & Sandwich Islands Rice
C. STROUSS,
Commercial Row, Wharf Street.
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FRUIT! FRUIT!
To Arrive Per North Pacific,
25 BOXES
APPLES,
PINE APPLES,
BANNANAS,
PEARS,
PEACHES,
PLUMS,
FOR SALE BY
P. CRANOVELLI,
je24 Johnson Street

NOTICE
FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I will only accept COIN for RENTS as well as other payments to be made to me.
je30 L. LOWENBERG

POWER OF ATTORNEY.
DURING MY TEMPORARY ABSENCE from the Colony Mr BRUNO MELLAND holds my Power of Attorney.
je24 J. McKEAY SARGENT, je24 mck

Dalby, Wilson & Co.,
ST NICHOLAS BUILDINGS GOVERNMENT ST.
HAVE ON HAND THE LARGEST ASSORTMENT OF
SADDLERY, HARNESS
TRUNKS, & VALISES
In the Colony, and are
SELLING AT COST TO MAKE ROOM FOR GOODS
Now on the way from England and Canada. They also have on hand a large stock of
Sole Leather, Harness, Russell, Aprons, Santa Cruz Sole Leather, Nails, Pegs and a general assortment of
SHOEMAKER'S FINDINGS
The Highest Cash Price paid for Hides, Wool and Deer Skins.
FOR SALE—One 8 horsepower Engine and two boilers, in first class order. For particulars inquire at the Store, St Nicholas Building, Government street.
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Shipping.

Bark Cornelis, from San Francisco.
NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR the Hastings Mill Company will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.
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Freight taken at Lowest Rates!
DISPATCH LINE!
For Victoria, B. C.
THE NEW CLIPPER SHIP **LOVET PEACOCK,** Will sail for the above port on the 1st July, full or not full.
For freight or passage apply to **COGHILL & HARRISON** 318 Front street San Francisco or to **C. T. MILLARD** Agent, Wharf street Victoria.

FOR YALE AND INTERMEDIATE LANDINGS ON FRASER RIVER.
STEAMER LILLOOET Capt O. Parsons, Will leave NEW WESTMINSTER on Wednesdays and Saturdays, until further notice.
N.B.—The above steamer will not be responsible for cargo of goods shipped in this or glass, my18 ft

FOR SALE.
50 SHARES SPRING RIDGE WATER The Willows, Cadboro Bay Road Block 3, 8 Lots Victoria West, Three Lots at New Westminster. Apply at the office for particulars, or at the BANK BUILDING NORTH AMERICA.
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EIGHTH INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITION OF THE **Mechanics Institute,** WILL OPEN **TUESDAY, AUGUST 8th, 1871,** AND CONTINUE
Four Weeks, Day and Evening, IN THE PAVILION, UNION SQUARE, SAN FRANCISCO.
The Exhibition Building covers an area of 110,000 superficial feet, and is complete in the various details of light, ventilation, steam power, water supply, and provisions for the requirements and comfort of visitors. Applications for space must be made before the fourth day of July next, and articles must be in position by the time of opening. Blank application for space, rules and Regulations, Premium Lists and all information will be sent on application, by addressing J. H. GILMORE, Special Agent, Mechanics' Institute, San Francisco, to whose care articles intended for exhibition may be sent.
my20 3m A. S. HALL, President.

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Family Grocers
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Carefully packed to order. Particular attention paid to **SHIP AND NAVY STORES**
Our Foreign **WINES and BRANDIES** Are pure and selected expressly for Family and Medical purposes.
FINE TEAS Are among our specialties.
Large Sale and small Profits **FOR CASH** and we will not be undersold by any other establishment.
Fell's Coffee Has stood the test of eight years' trial, and is acknowledged to have no equal on this Coast.
FORT STREET, March 24, 1871.
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FOR ALL THE PURPOSES OF A FAMILY PHYSIC.
CURING
Constipation, Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Dysentery, Foul Stomach, Erysipelas, Headache, Fever, Rheumatism, Eruptions and skin Diseases, Biliousness, Liver Complaint, Dropsy, Tetanus, Tumors and swellings, Worms, Gout, Neuralgia, as a Diarrhoeic, and Purifying the blood, are the most congenial and powerful yet perfected. Their effect abundantly shows how much they excel all other Pills. They are safe and pleasant to take, but powerful to cure. They purge out the foul humors of the blood; they stimulate the sluggish or disordered organ into action, and they impart health and tone to the whole being. They cure not only the every day complaints of every body, but formidable and dangerous diseases. Most eminent physicians, most skillful practitioners, and our best citizens send certificates of cures performed and of great benefits they have derived from these Pills. They are the safest and best physic for children, because mild as well as effectual. Being sugar coated they are easy to take; and being purely vegetable, they are perfectly harmless.
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TEN OR TWELVE MULES WITH TWO or three Wagons will be sold cheap for cash, or on time by giving good security. Apply to
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—Agent's Office.

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SWEETSTAKE'S THRESHER, GEARED
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New Advertisements.

OMINECA EXPRESS.
THE UNDERSIGNED WILL RUN AN EXPRESS MONTHLY Between the Forks of Skeena River and Germanen Creek, Calling at the several Mining Camps in the Omineca District. Express matter will be forwarded with dispatch and **MODERATE RATES.**
The first Express will leave the Forks about the middle of April.
my23 P. K. L. D.

Rembrandt Photographs
BEFORE ORDERING REMBRANDT photographs, the public should call and examine the pictures taken at the **FORT STREET GALLERY** —BY— **MESSRS. GREEN.**
A large collection of Views of British Columbia scenery on sale.
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GOLD! GOLD! GOLD!
OMINECA MINES.
Premis & Saunders, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
Grocers, Provision Dealers, & WINE & SPIRIT MERCHANTS, REGULAR PARTIES REQUIRING a stock of goods for the Omineca Mines that they had the largest, most complete and best assorted stock in the Colony, and are prepared to sell at the lowest possible wholesale prices.
All articles warranted Genuine and of a superior quality. We invite inspection of our stock previous to purchasing elsewhere.
Goods delivered free of Charge.
my9 3m **PROMIS & SAUNDERS,** Johnson St, opp the King's

FOURTH OF JULY
Scottish Gathering!
St Andrew's & Caledonian SOCIETY WILL HOLD THEIR EIGHTH **ANNUAL PICNIC** AT THE **CALEDONIAN GROUNDS,** Adjoining Jay & Bales' Nursery, Cook street, on **Tuesday, 4th July, 1871**
A SPACIOUS PLATFORM
For dancing will be erected, and an efficient QUADRILLE BAND will be in attendance during the day and evening. A series of Athletic Sports and games will take place. The Committee will spare no exertions this season to eclipse their hitherto successful gatherings.

COMMITTEE.
J. C. Rutherford, Esq.
T. H. Scott, Esq.
J. H. Gray, Esq.
J. H. Young, Esq.
J. H. Stewart, Esq.
JULGES.
Lieut. E. C. Boyce, J. H. N.
J. A. Graham, Esq.
STEWART—Henry Nathan, Esq., M.L.C.;
PROGRAMME.
1 Running Hop, Step and Jump. Entrance 25c, prize \$2.50.
2 Standing Long Jump (without weights). Entrance 25c. 1st prize \$5, 2nd prize \$2.50.
3 Running Long Jump. Entrance 25c, 1st prize \$5, 2nd prize \$2.50.
4 Running High Jump. Entrance 25c, 1st prize \$5, 2nd prize \$2.50.
5 Putting Heavy Shot. Entrance 25c, Prize \$3.50.
6 Putting Light Shot. Entrance 25c, Prize \$2.50.
7 Tossing the Caber. Entrance 25c, Prize \$2.50.
8 Throwing the Heavy Hammer. Entrance 50c, Prize \$5.
9 Throwing the Light Hammer. Entrance 25c, Prize \$2.50.
10 Foot Race, 300 yards. Entrance 50c, 1st prize \$5, 2nd prize \$2.50.
11 Race, 150 yards. Entrance 25c, 1st prize \$2.50, 2nd prize \$1.
12 Foot Race, 50 yards—for boys under 15. Entrance 25c, 1st prize \$5, 2nd prize \$2.50.
13 Foot Race, 100 yards—for girls under 12 years Entrance free. 1st prize \$5, 2nd prize \$1.50.
14 Foot Race, 1 mile. Entrance 50c, 1st prize \$10, 2nd prize \$5.
15 Blind Foot Race, 50 yards. Entrance 25c, prize \$3, 2nd prize \$1.50.
16 Sack Race, 50 yards. Entrance 50c, Prize \$5.
17 Tossing Log Race, 50 yards. Entrance 25c, Prize \$2.50.
18 Hitch and Kick. Entrance 25c, Prize \$2.50.
19 Foot Race—or men weighing not under 200 lbs or handicapped—200 yards. Entrance 25c, Prize \$5.
20 Foot Race—or men weighing not under 200 lbs or handicapped—100 yards. Entrance 25c, Prize \$5.
DANCES.—Sword Dance, Highland Fling, and Hornpipe. Entrance 50c, Prize \$2.50 each.
Four Contestants to enter for each Game.
Winners of Heavy Shot and Heavy Hammer not allowed to take prizes in the Light, & may compete. **GRAND LOTTERY PRIZE**—For ladies only, which will be drawn off at 4 o'clock. (Cash Lady, on entering the Grounds, receives a lottery ticket).
The Grounds will be open at 10 o'clock, A.M.
An Orator by an eminent citizen will be delivered at noon.
The sports will commence punctually at 1 o'clock. Refreshments and Liquor Stands will be on the Grounds. Admission, 50 cents; children under 12 years 25 cents.
je10 By order, J. H. LAWSON, Secretary.

Ayer's Hair Vigor,
FOR RESTORING GRAY HAIR TO ITS NATURAL VITALITY & COLOR
Advancing years, sickness, care, disappointment, and a hereditary predisposition, all turn the hair gray; either of them disposes it to fall off prematurely; the effect is unightly and unpleasant to behold. Dr. Ayer's consummate skill has produced an antidote for these deformities, which has won gratitude for him from multitudes of women and men. His Hair Vigor and his Hair Cream are your best friends to their original softness and agreeable expression.
As an elegant dressing for beautifying the Hair it has no superior.
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PLEASURE BOATS OF ALL KINDS FOR HIRE
At the Johnson street Ferry.
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SUGAR
FOR SALE BY THE UNDERSIGNED Sandwick Island Sugar No 1, in kegs.
m, 31 **FINLAY, DURHAM & BROS.**

NEWS! NEWS!

The "British Colonist" is the only newspaper published at Victoria that receives the latest telegraphic dispatches, as a comparison will prove. Late Telegrams appearing in any other paper are copied without credit 24 hours after they have appeared in the British Colonist. The circulation of the British Colonist being greater than that of any other paper, it offers the best medium to Advertisers.

Address of the Privy Council.

At the Court at Windsor, the 16th day of May, 1871. Present.—The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, His Royal Highness Prince Arthur, Lord Privy Seal, Earl Cowper, Earl of Kimberley, Lord Chamberlain, Mr Secretary Cardwell, Mr Ayrton.

Whereas by the 'British North America Act, 1867,' provision was made for the Union of the Provinces of Canada, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick into the Dominion of Canada, and it was (amongst other things) enacted that it should be lawful for the Queen, by and with the advice of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, on Address from the Houses of the Parliament of Canada, and of the Legislature of the Colony of British Columbia, to admit that Colony into the said Union on such terms and conditions as should be in the Addresses expressed, and as the Queen should think fit to approve, subject to the provisions of this Act. And it was further enacted that the provisions of any Order in Council in that behalf should have effect as if they had been enacted by the Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

And whereas by Address from the Houses of the Parliament of Canada and from the Legislative Council of British Columbia respectively, of which Addresses copies are contained in the schedule to this Order annexed, Her Majesty was prayed, and with the advice of Her Most Honourable Privy Council, under the one hundred and forty-sixth section of the hereinbefore recited Act, to admit British Columbia into the Dominion of Canada on the terms and conditions set forth in the said Address.

And whereas Her Majesty has thought fit to approve of the said terms and conditions, it is hereby ordered and declared by Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in Her Majesty by the said Act of Parliament, that from and after the twentieth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, the said Colony of British Columbia shall be admitted into and become part of the Dominion of Canada upon the terms and conditions set forth in the hereinbefore recited Addresses. And, in accordance with the terms of the said Addresses relating to the electoral districts in British Columbia, for which the first election of members to serve in the House of Commons of the said Dominion shall take place, it is hereby ordered and declared that such electoral districts shall be as follows:—

New Westminster District and the Coast District, as defined in a public notice issued from the Lands and Works Office in the said colony on the fifteenth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine, by the desire of the Governor, and purporting to be in accordance with the provisions of the thirty-ninth clause of the Mineral Ordinance, 1868, shall constitute one District to be designated New Westminster District, and return one member.

Cariboo District and Lillooet District, as specified in the said public notice, shall constitute one district, to be designated Cariboo District, and return one member.

Yale District and Kootenay District, as specified in the said public notice, shall constitute one district, to be designated Yale District, and return one member.

Those portions of Vancouver Island known as Victoria District, Esquimalt District and Metochia District, as defined in the official maps of those districts, which are in the Land Office, Victoria, and are designated respectively Victoria District Official Map, 1858, Esquimalt District Official Map, 1858, and Metochia District Official Map, A. D. 1858, shall constitute one district, to be designated Victoria District, and return two members.

All the remainder of Vancouver Island, and all such islands adjacent thereto, as were formerly dependencies of the late Colony of Vancouver Island District, shall constitute one district, to be designated Vancouver Island District, and return one member.

And the Right Honourable Earl of Kimberley, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, is to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

(Signed) ARTHUR HELPS.

The Constitution.

The following proclamation has been issued by His Excellency the Governor: Whereas it is provided by 'The Constitution Act, 1871,' that the said Act shall not come into operation until it has received Her Majesty's assent, nor until such assent has been proclaimed in this Colony by the Governor, nor until the expiration of such time as the Governor shall direct after such assent has been proclaimed as aforesaid, to be fixed by the Governor in such Proclamation.

And whereas Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to give Her assent to the said Act.

And whereas I, the said Anthony Musgrave, as such Governor as aforesaid, have fixed the 19th day of July next to be the date when the said Act shall come into operation and take effect.

Now, therefore, know ye that I, Anthony Musgrave, Governor of the Colony of British Columbia, do hereby proclaim the assent of Her Majesty to 'The Constitution Act, 1871,' and do hereby proclaim and declare, that the said Act shall take effect and come into operation in the said Colony of British Columbia, on, from, and after the 19th day of July, in the present year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

Issued under the public seal of the Colony of British Columbia, at Victoria, this twentieth day of June, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, and in the thirty-fifth year of Her Majesty's reign.

By Command, PHILIP J. HANKIN, Colonial Secretary.

Order in Council. BRITISH COLUMBIA. DOWLING STREET, No. 52. 27th May, 1871. Sir,—With reference to my Dispatch No. 17, of the 11th of March, I have the honor to transmit to you an Order of Her Majesty in Council, dated the 18th of May, for uniting British Columbia to the Dominion of Canada, in accordance with the Addresses passed by the Legislatures of the two Colonies.

I caused the 20th of July to be fixed as the date of this Union, the day agreed upon between Lord Lisgar and yourself.

It gives me much satisfaction to express to you on this occasion how fully assailable Her Majesty's Government are of the energy, zeal, and ability with which you and the officers of your Government have labored to effect this Union, which it is confidently anticipated will confer important and lasting benefits upon British Columbia, and by the consolidation of Her Majesty's Possessions in North America will greatly promote their progress in the career of prosperity to which they seem destined by their natural resources.

I have, &c., (Signed) KIMBERLEY. Governor Musgrave, &c., &c.

BARKER'S PANORAMA.—We had much pleasure last evening in again viewing Mr. Barker's Panorama, and to doubt many others were much gratified, for it is quite an intellectual treat and something that Victorians might well be proud of. The view in the Yosemite Valley is an exceedingly fine painted picture; the reflected lights in the valley from the opposite mountain are very good and perspective distance and the rendering of the waterfall exhibit much talent. The whole picture is really beautiful. Mount Shasta is a well defined picture; the cattle in the foreground are correctly drawn and very faithful to nature. The mountain in the distance has a very fine effect and is delightfully toned. Lake Tahoe is a moonlight scene. The rendering of the dark shadows of the mountain and the bright rays of light in the extreme distance produces a very striking effect; the light and shade in the trees form a good broad piece of painting. There is nothing pre-Raphaelite, but everything suggestive, which makes a charming picture of the whole scene. The view of Portland is well done. The river-front with the shipping is charming and the reflections of the wharves and the perspective of the river are highly artistic. That most difficult of all to effect—the hill at the back of the town—is kept in its proper position; the perspective of the town and the hill is a study. We would advise all endowed with a taste for the beautiful to avail themselves of the opportunity of seeing these fine pictures.

'GOVERNMENT GAZETTE EXTRAORDINARY.' The Government Gazette Extraordinary appeared yesterday and contains a large amount of new matter, including the Order in Council for the admission of British Columbia into the Dominion; and the addresses of the Senate and Commons of Canada and of the Legislative Council of British Columbia upon the same important matter. The Queen's approval of the New Constitution Act and the Permanent Civil List Act are also announced. The Terms of Union are recited in each address, but their reproduction is unnecessary here. The address of the Privy Council, the Order in Council and the Governor's Proclamation announcing that the New Constitution shall have force and effect on and after the 19th of July, appear elsewhere in this issue.

SALT SPRING ISLAND IN BOXES.—Yesterday, in thanking the gifted Piper for the present of a box of Salt Spring Island strawberries, the printer omitted the strawberries and caused us to acknowledge the receipt of a box of 'magnificent Salt Spring Island.' Whether it was the berries or the beer that produced the error is a disputed point between the compositor and the editor—the former asserting that strawberries are intoxicating when swallowed with the box; and the editor maintaining that beer and strawberries are apt to produce temporary insanity in a printing office. Piper has our thanks for the berries notwithstanding their sad effect upon the types.

WHO HAS LOST CHICKENS?—Ah Hoon, a vagrant Chinaman, was detected by officer Radcliffe a few mornings ago with a number of chickens in his possession, for whom owners are wanted at the Police Barracks. As for Ah Hoon he has been put where chickens would not bother him for the ensuing three months.

THE LECTURE.—In addition to his lecture on Irish Wit and Humor, this evening, Barney O'Rogan will recite Shamus O'Brien, one of the best of Lover's pieces. We believe Shamus O'Brien has never been recited in this city and those who have not heard it (to use an Irishism) handled by a lecturer like Mr. Murphy have a rare treat in store.

N. P. R.—Mr. Garesche notifies British Columbia holders of Northern Pacific Railroad bonds that the semi-annual interest due July 1st will be paid in gold coin at par, at the office of Wells, Fargo & Co. in this city. The work is being rapidly pushed ahead.

LILLOOET DISTRICT.—Only 74 votes have been registered in the entire district of Lillooet. Lake La Hache Valley didn't send in a single claim. The Lillooet horse-trapper registered a number of Chinamen at Lillooet whose claim to vote will be contested.

TELEGRAMS.—A larger number of private telegrams were received at the Victoria office yesterday than on any previous day since the establishment of the line five years ago.

CROWN POINT.—Among the fortunate speculators in Crown Point was C. C. Pennington, Esq., formerly of this city and now Wells-Fargo's agent at Virginia City. That gentleman cleared \$40,000 in a few days.

FELIX O'BRYEN died at New York in March last. He left several Mrs O'Bryens to rejoice over his early departure and the close of his villainous career.

OMINECA.—A letter from Omineca received yesterday states that one miner on Germanen Creek made \$6080 early in the Spring, and another up-rop of \$1000. The report generally are up-rop.

The Cariboo mail reached here yesterday per canoe from New Westminster. Barnard's Express of the same date arrived last Saturday per Enterprise.

SPAIN.—The young King and Queen of Spain seem not unlikely to deserve to have the ancient style of the Spanish monarchy of their Most Catholic Majesties bestowed upon them. Their Ultramontane tendencies are giving serious offence to their subjects, who did not invite them to the throne in any such idea. The King has expressed his ministry his wish that the ordinance subjecting the bishops who had refused to take the oath of allegiance to him to the tribunals for trial should be annulled. And the almoners of the palace, it is remarked, are the same as those of the time of Isabella.

In the restaurants in Germany one now meets with napkins made of silk papers, neatly ornamented in embossed figures, which answer an excellent purpose for wiping the mouth and fingers; and, although capable of use but once, are cheaper than the cost of washing linen napkins of the same size.

The stmr Enterprise sailed for New Westminster yesterday morning at 10 o'clock with about a dozen passengers, among whom we noticed Capt Stamp, Messrs T Ladner, A R Robertson, Geo. Waikem, F Grelley and Lucas.

MATINEE.—Barker's Panorama will be exhibited to-morrow afternoon at 3 1/2 o'clock, when adults will be charged 50 cents and children 25 cents admission.

CORONATION DAY.—The flags on the public buildings were flying yesterday and the banks and principal business houses were closed in the afternoon.

THE TWENTIETH.—The Governor proclaims the 20th of July, the day appointed for the union of this colony with the Dominion of Canada, as a public holiday.

Let us have a holiday and general jollification on the 20th July. A committee of citizens ought to be formed to make the necessary arrangements.

THE ZEALOUS is not expected to arrive before the 5th proximo, as she is coming up under sail.

THE ROADS throughout the interior have been much damaged, especially along the Thompson, by the late floods.

THE bonds of the Central Pacific Railway are now selling at 103—a premium of 3 per cent.

A BARK was seen off the harbor yesterday morning, but it soon stood away for the Sound.

THE CALIFORNIA.—The sailing of this propeller from Portland is postponed until to-day.

The Enterprise will return on Saturday with Barnard's Cariboo Express.

THE CALIFORNIA from Portland will be due here on Friday.

THE RACE.—The North Pacific beat the Olympia four minutes to Port Townsend.

Mr. Barker's Panorama.

MR. EDITOR.—Why don't Mr Barker give a day exhibition, so that we children can see his Panorama? Don't you think it a shame that because we are little and ain't allowed to go out of doors after dark that we have got to miss everything that is interesting and beautiful? I am sure that if all work and no play makes Jack a dull boy that all school and no fun will make us dislike our lessons very much.

Please, Mr Editor, put this in your paper and perhaps our parents and teachers will give us little once a show.

And oblige SEVERAL SCHOOLBOYS, June 28th, 1871.

(If our correspondents will turn to the advertisement they will see that Mr Barker has anticipated their wish; and it only remains for them to mark their sense of the obligation conferred by turning out in strong force on Friday afternoon.—ED. COLONIST.)

Hints to Farmers.

Plough no waterlogged land. Many a field of heavy soil is damaged for the whole season by being ploughed before the water is out of it, and the labor of subsequent tillage is greatly increased.

Coleman's Rural World has found common salt at the rate of a barrel and a quarter, it distributed evenly over every quarter of an acre, an efficacious remedy for the strawberry grub. It says the plants were not injured.

A correspondent of the Rural New Yorker sends her tin pans with pity. She says it is very easily done and is much better than to throw them away. Put the patty on the outside, let it thoroughly dry and they will never require to be mended in that place again.

The Country Gentleman says: 1 Instead of trimming up trees, according to the old fashion, to make them long legged and long armed, trim them down so as to make them snug and symmetrical.

2 Instead of mauling heavily in a small circle at the foot of the tree, spread the manure, if needed at all, broadcast over the whole surface.

3 Instead of spading a small circle about the stem cultivate the whole surface broadcast.

4 Prefer a well pulverized clean surface in an orchard with a moderately rich soil to heavy manuring and a surface covered with a hard crust and weeds or grass.

5 Remember that it is better to set out ten trees with all the necessary care to make them live and flourish, than to set out a hundred trees and have them all die from carelessness.

6 Remember that tobacco is a poison and will kill insects rapidly if properly applied to them, and is one of the best drugs for freeing fruit trees of small vermin—and is better used in this way than to make men epileptic and diseased.

Mr Walcott, a prominent New York breeder of cattle, maintains that breeding from young stock is a prolific source of abortion in cows, and that a yearling bull is unfit for breeding and should be discarded altogether. All sated provisions should be watched and seen to that they are kept under the brine, for if one piece of meat lies up it will spoil the whole barrel. If the brine appears bloody it must be scalded and more salt added, and when cold pour back.

Get your boots and shoes at O A Noltemier's, next door to the St Nicholas Hotel, Government street, as he is selling them remarkably low.

By Electric Telegraph.

SPECIAL TO THE DAILY BRITISH COLONIST.

LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

Oregon.

PORTLAND, June 28.—A dispatch from Horace Greeley, declining to give the address at State Fair this year has been received.

The steamers John L Stephens and Constantine left for San Francisco early this morning.

The sailing of propeller California has been postponed till to-morrow.

Arrived.—Bark Edward James from Hong Kong.

The Wright is advertised to sail for Sitka on Saturday, July 1st, and the Oriflamme on Wednesday July 5th, for San Francisco.

The contract for grading the first 20 miles of the Oregon Central Railroad, on the west side, has been let to Messrs M Short & Co.

Business is brisk and building is going on in many parts of the city.

The river has been steadily going down for some days, and is now three feet below the highest point reached last week.

Weather.—Clear and hot.

California.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 27.—The new affidavits presented by Mrs Fair's counsel, to-day, cover essentially the same ground as those already passed upon, mainly attacking the competency of the jurors Beach and Little.

A number of emigrants to the Lower California Colony at Magdalena Bay, arrived here yesterday in a destitute condition. Nearly all of them have been provided with employment by the Labor Exchange. Some will be sent to the Mission River Lumber Mills, and others to various parts of the State.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 28.—Weather.—Warm and fine.

Henry Weimer, who was shot at Christing by Thos Farrer on Sunday, died at 4 a. m. to-day. His dying declaration was taken by Coroner Letterman in presence of Farrer.

Last night Capt George S Porter, who has been a resident of San Francisco since 1849, and formerly Port Warden, died at Alameda.

The rumor that the Hall & Norton mine will to-morrow give assessments of \$10 per share, has a depressing effect on the stocks generally, and the feeling on the streets is not one of confidence in primary and present values.

Complaint has been made that the game law is constantly violated, and that quail are being killed and brought into the city by pot hunters every day.

Dr Rogers, who was severely injured by being thrown from a buggy when going to the aid of Dr Boston who shot himself, is reported better, and is likely to recover.

Washington Territory.

SEATTLE, June 28.—On the arrival of the steamer North Pacific, last night, Governor Musgrave and party were received by a salute. The band was on the wharf and several guns were fired. The crowd gave three cheers which were answered by the passengers on board the steamer.

Europe.

BERLIN, June 27.—The Emperor William has decreed the present army combination in France, and the formation of all the German troops in that country into one body to be called the Army of Occupation in France, with Manteuffel as commander.

LONDON, June 27.—The striking miners of South Wales now number 9000. There appears to be no prospect of a settlement of the difficulty with the companies.

Subterranean fire is known to be raging in Sheffield, and fears are entertained that it is an old colliery, which extends to the very centre of the city.

FLORENCE, June 27.—The King will not go to Rome on the 1st of July, nor will the promised transfer of the capital occur at that date. October 1st is now named as the earliest date for the transfer. In diplomatic circles it is believed the transfer will never be made.

Canada.

HALIFAX, June 28.—Delegates on Washington Treaty will meet in Nova Scotia soon after returning from Prince Edward's Island. It is expected a full council will be obtained.

Eastern States.

BRUNSWICK, ME, June 27.—The express train from Boston was thrown off the track near Frankfort yesterday. Two baggage cars were demolished. Baggage men and brakemen killed. No passengers injured.

Exclusive to the 'Colonist.'

Second Dispatch.

Europe.

PARIS, June 25.—The Constitutional protest that the absence of the Assembly which deprived Paris of its metropolitan charter justified the German view that the order of the capital is still disturbed.

The Official Journal has published addresses received from 36 Departments of France expressing confidence in the Assembly and the Executive.

The Bank of France will commence to-morrow to receive deposits, and will pay arrears on the 1st July.

Prince Joachim Murat has returned to England.

Gambetta has offered his services to the Republic.

FLORENCE, June 25.—A dispatch from France to the French Minister of Foreign Affairs, reassures the Italian Government concerning enrollments made in France by Col. Charette, the former commander of the Papal troops, as the regiments under his command explicitly declined to belong to the French army.

The Pope, in replying to French Catholics, praised their zeal and denounced the liberal Catholics.

Thiers has issued a decree for the establishment of a Legion of Mobilists to maintain order at Versailles. It will be composed of one squadron of cavalry and eight companies of infantry.

Eastern States.

WASHINGTON, June 17.—The citizens of California who have held unsettled claims against the Indian Bureau since 1855, amounting it is said to \$2,000,000, have at intervals pressed their claims upon Congress, a few dollars was paid on them in order to ascertain their extent or validity. Secretary Boutwell has decided to appoint a commission to visit California and to examine into and report upon all outstanding Indian claims held in that State with Congress.

A partial report of the amount of spirits in bond and in the country was printed a few days ago, showing that the at ok on hand is 40,839,166 gallons or 4,798,826 gallons less than were shown by the report of the last year.

New York, June 29.—The Tribune's Washington special says, Boutwell's and Pleasanton's quarrels continue to be almost

Auction Sales.

Lumley Franklin, AUCTIONEER, COMMISSIONER'S REAL ESTATE AGENT

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